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The Largest Portion of the Fatalities
Were Among the Russians—Jap-
anese Have Won a Sweeping
and Decisive Victory.

Tokio, Oct. 17.—There is a strong appeal for peace in the appalling tragedy which is now under enactment in Manchuria. Both armies have fought ferociously for a week and desperate fighting still continues. It is probable that the death roll will be largely increased before the final shot is fired.

The preliminary reports indicate that about 60,000 men of both sides have been either killed or wounded, the larger portion of them being Russians, since the armies of the two belligerents closed in combat.

Even the Japanese, to whom the great victory is of paramount importance, seem to be shocked by the slaughter of their enemies. The Japanese people are receiving the news from the field of battle calmly and there can be heard no shouts in the streets proclaiming the victory of their nation. Few flags are displayed. Probably later on a procession with the consequent jollification but there are heard many expressions of opinion that no demonstration of any kind should be held. A prominent Japanese said to a press correspondent Sunday:

"We have won a sweeping and a decisive victory which may prove to be the salvation of our country's existence, but regret both our own losses and the terrible slaughter which our forces have inflicted on the enemy. We regret still more the necessity which forced us to engage in this war."

A member of the diplomatic corps in an interview said: "I believe the world will recoil from the sickening slaughter of this battle. Every interest of humanity demands the adjustment of the differences between the two nations and the proclamation of peace. The situation between the two belligerents is a delicate one, but what a splendid triumph for diplomacy it would be if peace could be arranged."

St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.—The official veil was Sunday lifted from the ghastly tragedy around Shakhke, but even the official account, supplemented by the various news press dispatches leaves much uncertainty as to the situation. Out of the fragmentary information at hand it is possible only to conclude that the costly withdrawal and retreat from Liao Yang is being duplicated upon an even greater scale, after more desperate fighting and heavier losses.

Gen. Kuropatkin's story leaves the Russians still tenaciously holding the north bank of the Shakhke river, but general belief is that this is only the desperate finale of one of the greatest military dramas of history and that the Russian army as a whole is retiring towards Mukden, having suffered at the most conservative estimate a loss of over 30,000.

Of the left flank, which was one of the most important points in the line of battle, absolutely nothing is heard, which leaves the inference that it is not in a position to communicate with the remainder of the army. All the wounded are being carried to Harbin, further north. It is understood that the correspondents also have been ordered to Harbin, which indicates that the retreat will not even stop at Tie Pass. All hopes of the world heralded advance to Port Arthur have been abandoned. From the military point of view the most bitter disappointment is in the knowledge that the reversal seals the fate of the heroic defenders of Port Arthur, who are now without hope of succor from the outside world.

The latest reports from the battle are of Sunday afternoon and evening when the Russians were carrying on a heavy rear guard fight, evidently retiring on Mukden. Gens. Oku and Nodzu were concentrating for another blow on the Russian right, where the fighting is described as having been furious. Gen. Nodzu is reported to have been wounded seriously, but this can not be confirmed.

Mukden itself remains quiet, though the sounds of battle are plainly heard to the southward. The railway station is congested with trains of wounded proceeding to Harbin. The hospital facilities are completely overtaxed. Six thousand wounded arrived at Mukden on Saturday alone. The heroic surgeons and nurses, many of whom

have been without sleep for 36 hours, are ready to drop with fatigue.

Mukden, Oct. 17.—The battle was renewed and continued throughout Sunday night, being especially heavy at midnight. The Russians retain their position along the Shakhke river and have made frequent attacks upon the Japanese, capturing six of the latter's guns. The eastern army is helping the western forces. There was very heavy artillery fire Monday. The fighting is now centered on the plain. Shakhke is again in the hands of the Russians. After the last evacuation of the village by the Russians the Japanese failed in an attempt to reoccupy it and now the village is held by Russian infantry.

CONNECTICUT MONUMENT.

It Was Dedicated at Orchard Knob in the Presence of Thousands.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 17.—Thousands of people assembled at Orchard Knob, the famous battle ground northeast of this city, Sunday afternoon, to witness the dedication of the monument erected by the state of Connecticut to the Fifth and Twentieth Connecticut volunteer regiments by Gov. Abram Chamberlain and a distinguished party of Connecticut. The parade to the dedication ground was the most gorgeous of its kind ever seen in Chattanooga and was led by an escort composed of the governor's guard and bands of Hartford and New Haven and the Third Tennessee infantry, national guard. The weather was beautiful and the ceremonies were very impressive. The monument was presented to the governor by Capt. Sanford E. Chaffee, of Derby, Ct., who was one of the commission which erected the monument. Gov. Chamberlain received the monument and presented to Gen. H. V. Boynton, president of the Chickamauga national park commission. Gov. Chamberlain and party left Sunday night for home.

THE STEEL WORKERS.

Probable They Will Be Asked to Accept a Reduction in Wages.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Steel workers employed in the rail and sheet departments of the Illinois Steel Co.'s plant at South Chicago have been notified that when the present agreement expires January 1 next it will not be renewed. The workmen understand this to mean that they will be asked to accept the same reduction in wages and the same lengthening of hours as were recently enforced in the company's plant at Joliet. The Joliet steel workers accepted a cut of 15 to 43 per cent. in wages and their work day was lengthened about two hours. Nearly 4,000 men will be affected at South Chicago.

MISS HELEN KELLER.

The Deaf, Dumb and Blind Girl Arrives in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Oct. 17.—Miss Helen Keller, of Wrentham, Mass., who has gained a national reputation through her manner of acquiring an education, although born deaf, dumb and blind, arrived Sunday night to attend the conference of superintendents of American schools for the deaf, which convened Monday, and also to be present at the exercises in honor of "Helen Keller" day at the World's fair on October 18. Miss Keller is the first person in whose honor a special day has been designated by the World's fair management.

THE MARKETS.

Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, Oct. 15.—Flour—Winter patent, \$5.60@5.85; fancy, \$5.25@5.45; family, \$4.45@4.70; extra, \$3.95@4.20; low grade, \$3.35@3.60; spring patent, \$6.35@6.60; fancy, \$5.35@5.60; family, \$4.95@5.10; Northwestern rye, \$4.15@4.35. Wheat—No. 2 red quotable at \$1.18@1.20 on track. Corn—No. 3 mixed quotable at 56½¢@57¢ on track. Oats—Sales: No. 2 mixed, track, at 32½¢; rejected mixed, track, at 31½¢. Chicago, Oct. 15.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.15@1.17; No. 3 do, \$1.10@1.14; No. 2 hard, \$1.09@1.13; No. 3 do, 95¢@1.10; No. 1 Northern, \$1.14@1.17; No. 2 do, \$1.10@1.14; No. 3 spring, \$1.04@1.18. Oats—No. 2, 29½¢; No. 3, 29¢. Corn—No. 2, 51¼¢@52½¢; No. 3, 51¢@52¢.

Live Stock.

Cincinnati, Oct. 15.—Cattle—Heavy steers, choice to extra, \$4.85@5; fair to good, \$4@4.75; butcher steers, extra, \$4.75@4.85; good to choice, \$3.75@4.65; heifers, extra, \$3.85@4; good to choice, \$3@3.75; cows, extra, \$3.40@2.65; good to choice, \$2.75@3.35. Calves—Fair to good light, \$6@6.75; extra, \$7. Hogs—Good to choice packers and butchers, \$5.50@5.65; mixed packers, \$5.25@5.45; light shippers, \$5.10@5.25; heavy light, 150 lbs and upwards, \$5.35@5.40; pigs, \$4@5. Sheep—Extra, \$3.35@3.50; good to choice, \$2.75@3.25. Lambs—Extra, \$6; good to choice, \$5.25@5.55.

DYNAMITERS' ACT

The Beautiful Home of Thomas J.
McCoy at Rensselaer, Ind.,
Blown to Pieces.

THE RESIDENCE COST \$25,000.

Considerable Feeling Has Grown in
the Town Since the Failure
of the McCoy Bank.

Shock of the Explosion Could Be
Heard For Miles and Windows
in Residences For Blocks
Around Were Shattered.

Rensselaer, Ind., Oct. 17.—The feeling that has been growing here since the failure of the McCoy bank last April reached a climax Sunday night when the beautiful home of Thomas J. McCoy, who was identified with his father in the operations of the bank, was totally destroyed by dynamite.

The shock of the explosion could be heard for miles. Windows in residences for blocks around were shattered and some of the business houses suffered.

The McCoy family was not at home at the time and it is believed that none of them are in the city. Thomas McCoy has been in Lafayette for several days, but reports are current that he is now visiting in Chicago with his daughter. Mrs. McCoy is thought to be in Lafayette.

The wreck of the home is complete. The walls were blown outward, precipitating the roof into the basement. Fragments of the residence and pieces of furniture were found hundreds of feet away.

The loss can not be correctly estimated, but the residence alone is known to have cost more than \$25,000. It was elaborately furnished. There is considerable excitement in the city. No arrests have been made.

Immediately after the explosion a crowd gathered about the ruins, but no effort was made to capture the guilty persons. It is believed there were three or four of the dynamiters, as it is reported that several men were seen about the premises just before the explosion.

The McCoy bank failed last April, the liabilities greatly exceeding the assets. Many families lost heavily, as the bank was one of the best-known and oldest established in this part of the state.

Thomas J. McCoy is at present under \$20,000 bond on charges of embezzlement. The grand jury returned 22 indictments against him individually and two jointly with his father and two jointly with Walter M. White, assistant cashier.

Recently the McCoy's appeared in court and petitioned for a change of venue, which was granted, and their cases were sent to three adjoining counties. The indictments against Mr. White were quashed.

TENEMENT HOUSE FIRE.

Four Persons Were Suffocated and 15
Overcome By Smoke.

New York, Oct. 17.—Four persons were suffocated and 15 were overcome by smoke in a fire which gutted a five-story brick double tenement house at 15 Moore street, Williamsburg, early Monday. Two of the injured, a boy and a girl—probably will die. Incendiarism is suspected.

The fire originated in the basement and ran up a dumb waiter shaft, causing the crowded flats to fill rapidly with smoke. The flames spread through the flats on the fourth and fifth floors and escape for the persons asleep there was cut off. Firemen and police did heroic work and soon rescued more than a score, 15 of whom were almost suffocated. One fireman in attempting a daring rescue was overcome by smoke and had to be carried out by his fellows.

The First of Its Kind.

Friar's Point, Miss., Oct. 17.—A white man named Dickey, father of two sets of twins born within ten months, has been convicted by a white jury of criminal assault on a Negro child and given a life sentence. It is the first conviction of the kind in Mississippi.

Says She Killed Recrunt Fiance.

St. Louis, Oct. 17.—After entering a plea of not guilty to the charge of first degree murder, Myrtle Eberly was admitted to bail in \$20,000 and released. According to the police she admitted killing Thomas Lane because he refused to keep a promise to marry her.

Maysfield, Ky., Oct. 17.—An Illinois Central freight train was wrecker near Water Valley Sunday morning, killing two men whose names were unknown and fatally injuring Emmett Thompson, of this county.

AT A DANCE.

Knives and Guns Were Used in a General Fight.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 17.—In a general fight which took place at a dance and picnic in Harrison county, about 12 miles west of Cynthiana, Walter Conrad was fatally stabbed. Harvey Walden received a severe scalp wound, while Mr. J. W. Gunn and his wife, Pearl Gunn, were hit by stray bullets, and also seriously injured.

While the dance was in progress a quarrel arose between Perry and Henry Bowman, brothers, on one side, and Walter and Jasper Conrad, also brothers, on the other side. Knives and pistols were used freely, and in the melee Walter Conrad was stabbed a number of times in the back and abdomen. Seeing his brother fall, Jasper Conrad began shooting promiscuously, when Mr. and Mrs. Gunn were injured. Harvey Walden, a mutual friend of the young men, tried to separate them, and, while playing the part of a peacemaker, got injured himself. All the parties are under arrest. The fight and its terrible results brought the dance to an abrupt termination.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

Remains Arrived at Night and Were
Buried By Light of Lanterns.

Falmouth, Ky., Oct. 17.—An interment out of the ordinary took place at Kenton town, Ky. Charles Tennis, aged 80, who had time and again walked from Kenton town to Falmouth, a distance of about 20 miles, fell from a bridge at Falmouth and was killed. His body was prepared for burial, and as there is no railroad running within 20 miles of his late home his body was conveyed there in a hearse. It was about 9 o'clock when the remains reached the cemetery, where almost all the inhabitants of the little village waited. All brought lanterns, and while the sexton held a light over the face of the corpse they viewed the body. Then the corpse was lowered into the ground, while the minister offered prayers.

In the Oil Fields.

Barbourville, Ky., Oct. 17.—The feature of interest in the Kentucky and Tennessee oil fields last week was the development of a larger number of excellent producers in the lower fields, along the state line. The Wayne county division turned up eight strikes, five of which make from 50 to 150 barrels.

Sensational Developments.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 1.—Sensational developments are promised from an inquiry to be made into the death of William Owens by the grand jury. It is said that a woman is under police surveillance, and that another woman will testify that a drink of whisky was "fixed" for the dead man.

A Fatal Shooting Bee.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 17.—In a shooting bee between Silas Forte and Edgar Long, at St. Charles, Ky., Long was fatally wounded. Both men used Winchester, and many shots were exchanged. It is said that Long had been friendly with Forte's wife.

State Federation Will Be Formed.

Covington, Ky., Oct. 17.—The representatives of various unions in Trades and Labor assembly met Sunday morning at Labor hall, this city, and decided to form a state federation of labor. A state convention will be held in November for this purpose.

Death Came Suddenly.

Covington, Ky., Oct. 17.—Denver Hunt, 22, was found dead Sunday morning at his mother's home, 422 Main street, Covington. He had been ill since Wednesday. Hunt was a mineral water employee in Newport. He was unmarried.

Big Alcohol Contract.

Washington, Oct. 17.—The largest contract ever made by the navy department for alcohol has just been awarded for furnishing the bureau of supplies and accounts with 1,500,000 pounds. The total amount involved is \$67,050.

Curry Will Train Them.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 17.—Charles De La Montaine, the California turfman, has purchased a couple of good youngsters from Sam Gilbert, of this city, for \$2,500. They were shipped west Sunday night to be trained by Jack Curry.

His Sixth Wedding.

Mayking, Ky., Oct. 17.—At Shelby Gap, east of here, Johnson Mullins, 60, a well to do logging man, was married to Miss Jane Foutch, 20, making Mullins' sixth marriage and a new record in this state. His first five wives died.

A Kiss and a Shot.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 17.—A. J. Hogan, a local retail grocer, committed suicide Sunday by shooting himself in the temple. Before shooting himself he asked his wife to kiss him good-bye.

SLOCUM DISASTER

The Report of the United States
Investigating Commission
Made Public.

INSPECTORS TO BE DISCHARGED.

The Unfortunate Vessel Had Been
Inspected and a Certificate Issued
to the Owners on May 6.

Inspectors Are Directly Held Responsible For Laxity of the Steamboat
Inspection to Which the Accident Is Attributable.

Washington, Oct. 17.—The report of the United States commission of investigation upon the disaster to the steamer General Slocum, appointed June 23 last by the then secretary of commerce and labor, George B. Cortelyou, was made public Sunday.

In connection with the important findings of the commission presented in the report, President Roosevelt, to whom the report was submitted, has written a letter to Secretary Victor H. Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor, briefly summarizing the report and directing him to carry into effect the recommendations of the commission. He also directs that Robert S. Rodie, supervising inspector of the Second district, steamboat inspection service, and James A. Dumont and Thomas H. Barrett, local inspectors in charge of the port of New York, be discharged from the service, the commission holding them directly responsible for the laxity of the steamboat inspection to which the Slocum disaster was directly attributable.

The report states that the General Slocum was owned by the Knickerbocker Steamboat Co., a New York corporation; that the Slocum was last inspected by Henry Lundberg and John W. Fleming, May 5, 1904, and that the current certificates of inspection at the time of the disaster was issued May 6, by James A. Dumont, inspector of hulls, and Thomas H. Barrett, inspector of boilers, the board of local inspectors at the port of New York. In describing the Slocum the report says that it was constructed entirely of wood; that the upper works were in a highly inflammable condition and that there were no fire proof hatches or bulkheads. The committee states that there are many similar vessels doing service in the United States, the construction of which is quite as dangerous.

Regarding the origin of the fire the report says:

"The fire started in the forward cabin, so-called, being the third compartment under the main deck from the bow, and probably originated in a barrel containing packing hay which was in that compartment, one of the barrels used for bar glasses and brought on board by the charterers."

"The fire was probably communicated to this barrel through the carelessness of some unknown person."

The report also states that this cabin was filled with inflammable material, including a large amount of oil; and that members of the crew frequently lighted matches in the compartment, and that on the morning of the disaster a porter filled the lamps in the cabin, lighted a lamp, blew the match out, and "threw it on the bench."

"The condition of this cabin, with the purposes for which it was used," the report recites, "constitutes one of the essential facts of negligence contributing to the disaster."

The fire-fighting apparatus was in bad condition and no effort was made by the crew to fight the flames, and when the vessel was beached but little effort was made to rescue the passengers still on board. The life saving apparatus was in an extremely bad condition. The report says:

"It is undeniable that the local board in this port did not do its duty. Upon the supervising inspector, therefore, must rest a large share of responsibility for the existence of such inefficiency and neglect."

Three Killed and Eight Hurt.

Boston, Oct. 17.—Three United States soldiers were killed and eight were injured, one fatally, by the premature explosion of powder as a trench mortar was being loaded at Fort Banks, Winthrop. Of the injured only one was dangerously hurt.

Chief Staff Officials Killed.

Mukden, Oct. 17.—Two divisional commanders have lost their chief staff officers who met death heroically leading their regiments. Shrapnel fell near Gen. Kuropatkin. He showed desperate energy and remained hopeful.

Covington, Ky., Oct. 17.—The city of Covington has nearly completed \$100,000 worth of public improvements during the present year.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1904

WAGES AND THE COST OF LIVING.

Of the many statements deliberately made by Mr. Roosevelt, in his letter of acceptance, which have aroused unfavorable comment because of their inaccuracy, none is destined to cause him more trouble and to result in greater harm to his canvass than that in which he alleges that wages have been increased during the last few years in greater proportion than the cost of living has increased. This statement has called forth a storm of protest, not only from the press, but among well-informed labor leaders and political economists.

Nearly every independent journal has taken Mr. Roosevelt to task. One of these, the Philadelphia Public Ledger, published in the metropolis of the strongest protectionist State in the Union, devotes a column and a half of its space in refuting the President's statement. Mr. Roosevelt, to quote him precisely, says:

"As conclusively shown by the bulletin of the Bureau of Labor, the purchasing power of the average wage received by the wage-worker has grown faster than the cost of living."

The Philadelphia Ledger regrets that it cannot confirm this statement. It says:

"More reliable, because more disinterested, and more unprejudiced witnesses than Mr. Roosevelt's Commissioner of Labor, have time and again declared it conspicuously inexact. Among the disinterested witnesses are both Bradstreet's and Dun's carefully compiled reports, and among the unprejudiced ones are several prominent labor leaders, who have testified to the truth respecting the wage scale of the one part and the regular quotation of the prices of the necessities of life of the other part. And the precise testimony given by these trustworthy witnesses, is directly contrary to the President's statement.

"The prices of domestic commodities have had an average increase from the lowest standard reached in 1896 of 37 per cent. No sensible and well-informed man will seriously assert that since 1896 the average wage rate has increased to that extent—more than one third. There is no workman in the land who can testify to the accuracy of this. The President's contention is that the alleged greater proportionate increase of the average wage to the increased cost of living has been due to the beneficent protection afforded to labor by the tariff. Here again the President's position is contested by labor itself. It is true that the wages of artisans and their unskilled helpers have been materially increased since 1896, but while there have been slight increases at various times of the wages of the so-called protected workmen, the aggregate differences have not kept step with the increase of the cost of living.

"At present the tendency all over the country is to reduce the wages of those employed in protected industries. At Fall River, Mass., 25,000 textile operators are out of work and deprived of wages because they would not consent to a flat wage reduction of 12 per cent. In Chicago the Meat Trust has crushed to death one of the most powerful labor organizations because it demanded a reasonable increase of wages for the under-paid laborers. The Steel, Iron and Tin Trusts, interests protected by the tariff, have been largely reducing their wage schedules, as has also the Glass Trust. The artisans, mechanics and all sorts of their unskilled helpers, to whom the tariff does not even pretend to give protection, receive high wages, and will continue to receive them so long as their unions remain intact. But what single tariff-protected industry pays its workmen the same generous reward for their labor that the unprotected activities pay their employees for their labor."

It might be added that Commissioner Wright's remarkable statement and tabulation upon which President Roosevelt bases his remarks already quoted, was discredited long before the candidate's letter of acceptance was made public, for Secretary Shaw in a stump speech delivered several weeks ago stated that the Commissioner of Labor has prepared a bomb which would blow the Democratic party sky-high, or words to that effect. He said, in so many words, that this "bomb" was in the nature of a carefully prepared article showing that the Democratic contention that the cost of living had been increased out of proportion to the increase in wages was untrue.

Commissioner Wright's "bomb" has deceived no person of average intelligence. It bears on its face the imprint of untruthfulness born of the desperate necessities of a losing campaign.

THE OTHER SIDE.

Secretary of the Street Railway Company
Makes a Statement Regarding
Track Elevation.

Editor of the Bulletin: The published reports of the proceedings of City Council on Friday night do the street railway an injustice.

The facts in the case are as follows, and the reader can judge for himself.

Several weeks ago the street railroad was notified by the Chairman of the Internal Improvement Committee that the city intended to repair Second street, from Wall to Shultz. Shortly afterwards, the Internal Improvement Committee and representatives of the street railroad met together in the Council Chamber. The subject was discussed, and the conclusion was reached that Mr. Hord, then in the employ of the city in connection with the new sewer, should be directed to establish a grade from Wall to Shultz, and the street railroad should be governed by it. In this connection would say, the representatives of the street railroad urged that while the engineer was at work, he should establish a grade on all the streets occupied by street railroad, so that all work in future should conform to this established grade. A few days after this meeting the street railroad was informed by the Chairman of the Internal Improvement Committee that the Mayor had declined to allow the engineer to act in connection with the work. Thereupon, the Chairman of the Internal Improvement Committee, with Mr. Holiday, Supt. of the street railway, and the writer went over the ground, from Shultz to Wall.

Instructions were given by the Chairman that the rails should be raised so there would be two or three inches fall from rail to the gutter curb on south side of street. The street railroad entered upon the work at once although this section of track had been worked over during the past summer at considerable expense and put in good condition. The street railroad understood that the city would enter upon their part of the work at once, and if this had been done there would be no complaint. Mr. Dodson in conversation with the writer said the grade was all right. The damage he complains of is done by the city not filling in the street. The street railroad in the work it has done has followed the instructions of the Chairman of the Internal Improvement Committee whose authority has never been questioned before.

In justice to the Chairman would say we believe his instructions were correct and this will be proven when the street is completed. This is also the opinion of a number of practical men who have been consulted.

We object to being denounced for doing something that the authorized representatives of the city required us to do.

The City Council Friday night instructed Mr. Hord to make a survey of the street. We urged that this should be done before any work was commenced.

R. A. COCHRAN,
Sec. Maysville Street Railroad and Transfer Co.

"The Liberty Belles."

This musical comedy will be the attraction at the Washington Friday evening. It is of a kind one wants to see many times, judging from the crowds it draws on each succeeding return visit in the cities. The secret of the success of "The Liberty Belles" lies in its novel effects, its liveliness, tunefulness, its beautiful and talented young women and, withal, a pure and clean entertainment, the latter being guaranteed by the fact Fred Berger is manager and proprietor of the organization. The libretto is written in Harry B. Smith's happiest vein and is held by many to be his best work. Sixteen musical numbers are introduced and some forty people are carried with the company. Seat sale opens at Ray's Wednesday morning.

The Revival.

Yesterday was a great day at Third Street M. E. Church. A large congregation assembled in the morning and listened to a fine sermon by Rev. A. B. Davidson on the subject, "Lovest Thou Me," followed by an old Methodist love feast.

At night the church was crowded, many standing, as Mr. Davidson sang his delightful solos, and the pastor, Rev. M. A. Banker, preached an excellent sermon on the subject, "The Man Who Found Himself." One united with the church at this service.

Mr. Davidson is winning his way into the hearts of the people by his singing and genial, pleasant personality. Services every night this week.

Mr. Tom Russell went to Louisville yesterday to bring up the big automobile recently purchased by Bell & Jones of the Germantown bus line. He will probably arrive with the machine sometime this evening. It is said to be a huge affair and will seat sixteen people.

Congressman Kehoe has been assigned to speak at the following places: Saturday, October 22nd, Webbville; Monday, October 24th, Louisa; Tuesday, October 25th, Morehead; Saturday, October 29th, Kelat.

THE WASHINGTON.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21.

Fred G. Berger, Jr., presents Harry B. Smith's delightful musical comedy,

"THE LIBERTY BELLES."

Absolutely the Original New York Production.
40—Singers, Dancers, Comedians—40
25—Big Musical Numbers—25

Special feature, the latest New York sensation,

THE RADIUM BALLET.

A \$10,000 Creation.

Prices, Four Rows, \$1.50; Twelve Rows, \$1; Balcony, 75 and 50c; Gallery, 25c.

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce VIRGIL McKNIGHT as a candidate for Representative from Mason County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26, 1904.

COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce C. D. NEWELL as a candidate for re-election as County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26th.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. RICE as a candidate for Sheriff of Mason County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26, 1904.

We are authorized to announce JAMES MACKEY as a candidate for Sheriff of Mason County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26, 1904.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS D. SLATTERY as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, November 26th.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce CLARENCE L. WOOD as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26, 1904.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce C. D. WELLS as a candidate for re-election as Superintendent of Schools for Mason County, subject to action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26th.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce T. F. GOODWIN as a candidate for Jailer of Mason County subject to the action of the Democratic primary, held November 26, 1904.

We are authorized to announce JOHN J. CORBETT of the Washington precinct as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce JOHN EITEL as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS GUILFOYLE as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce W. W. McILVAIN as a candidate for re-election to the office of Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE C. KEITH as a candidate for County Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26, 1904.

We are authorized to announce DOUGLAS McDOWELL as a candidate for County Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. ORR as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary November 26th.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH W. BODE as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary November 26th.

MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce H. C. HAWKINS as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce LUKEDYE as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, November 26.

We are authorized to announce JOHN R. COCHRAN as a candidate for re-election to the office of Magistrate in the Fifth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, November 26.

We are authorized to announce R. L. COOPER as a candidate for Magistrate in the Eighth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, November 26.

We are authorized to announce T. B. ROBERSON as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce JAMES B. KEY as a candidate for Magistrate in district No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce ALEX. H. CALVERT as a candidate for Magistrate from the Seventh district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

We are authorized to announce FRED DRESSEL as a candidate for re-election to the office of Magistrate from district No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, November 26th.

WANTED.

OUTFIT free; holiday books; retail prices reduced one-half; commission 50 per cent. FERGUSON, 743 Cincinnati, 15-411

WANTED—Hustling man or woman to work in Kentucky. Position permanent. Chance for advancement. No canvassing. Salary \$12 to \$24 per week. Expenses advanced. Address with stamp. F. B. CORNWALL, Maysville, Ky. 13-81

LOST.

LOST—A bunch of keys—one large folding key and about five small ones. Leave at Central Hotel and receive reward. 15-021

LOST—Between the residences of Mr. W. T. Berry and Mrs. Mary Mitchell, a plain gold ring. Return to this office and receive reward.

STRAYED—Four head of hogs from my farm at Millcreek. Marked with round hole in each ear. Reward paid for their return. THOS. LALLEY. 10-661

Masonic Notice.

Stated convocation of Maysville Chapter No. 9, R. A. M., to-night at 7 o'clock. Visiting companions invited.

A. T. THOMPSON, H. P.

Gordon Sulzer, Secretary.

Drinking water is hard to get in some sections of the county.

Mr. Jacob Messerschmitt of Fern Leaf sold thirty-two fat hogs at 5 cents to Harbin H. Moore of Bracken County.

Early Arrivals!

New Comers in Women's Suits, but here long enough to win much admiration. There is no question as to our position in the matter of women's ready-made garments, and this fall we shall emphasize it by showing a larger and better stock than ever.

There are too many to make description possible, but there is one Suit especially at only fifteen dollars that ought to be talked about—however, we will let you do that. Come in and look.

NEW COMFORTS.

It pays to anticipate and get first pick of such pretty Silkolene and Sateen-covered Comforts as these.

\$1.25—Silkolene covered, figured on side, plain on the other, filling of good cotton, full size.

\$1.50—Covered with sateen, figured on both sides, sterilized cotton filling.

Handsome Waistings 59c Yard.

Dainty, serviceable, popular. The proper weight and most attractive colors for fall. The fabric is all wool with black, white or colored grounds attractively figured in Persian designs.

D. HUNT & SON.

THE NEW

Flat Iron Hat

is all the
rage.

\$1.50, \$2, \$3.

Geo. H. Frank & Co.



If You Want

Real Estate of any kind my office is
the place to learn bargains. . . .

FOR RENT,

The splendid two-story brick, metal
roof dwelling in West End, owned by
Mrs. Mary G. Riley. . . .

JOHN DULEY,

Real Estate,

215 Court St.

PHONE 333

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The Q. R. Shipley farm of 95 acres, near Orangeburg. Possession given to seed at once, full possession March, 1905. RAINS BROS. 12-661

Mr. John Gable was arrested Sunday on a lunacy charge.

Mr. Lewis M. McCarthey is home from a successful tour in the interest of the Ohio Valley Pulley Works.

Dissolution Sale

We will offer for sale, privately, a farm of 170 acres, more or less, of fine

Mason County Land,

situated two and one-half miles south of Washington on the Lexington pike. The place is well watered, is under good fence and in a high state of cultivation. Forty acres to be sown in wheat this fall, the balance is in grass. There is a good tenement house and a large tobacco barn on the place. Call on PARRY BROS., Washington, Ky., or address them R. R. No. 2, Maysville Ky.

The Bee Hive

Children's Coats.

The largest and best line in Maysville. Over 200 garments to select from and most people tell us that they are the best styles for the money that were ever shown.

Prices reasonable—\$2.98 to \$7.

Just give us a chance to show you, that's all we ask.

Cloak Department Second Floor.

Fall and Winter Underwear.

We are headquarters for Underwear. We sell more Underwear than all the other stores in town. Compare our goods; we know our prices are lower. We have everything in Underwear in men's, women's and children's.

We mention to-day a few numbers from the line of MERODE, the best known garment in the world—

Ladies' fall weight long sleeve, high neck, 25c and 50c, pants to match.

Ladies' winter weight \$1, with pants to match.

Misses' Union Suits 75c.

Ladies' Union Suits \$1.

Children's shirts 50c, pants to match.

MERZ BROS.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. M. J. Sullivan of Lexington spent Sunday here.

—Miss Nellie O'Mara of Covington spent Sunday here with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petry of Cincinnati visited relatives here Sunday.

—Rev. F. W. Harrop of Latonia was in the city Friday en route to Mt. Olivet.

—Mrs. Isaac Levi has returned to Portsmouth after a visit with relatives here.

—Mr. James Scott of Tollesboro is spending a few days with friends at Portsmouth.

—Mr. William Creasey and wife and Mr. Thos. McNamara came up from Cincinnati Sunday.

—Miss Cora Ort of Cincinnati spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ort.

—Mr. C. D. Styles of Shannon arrived home Saturday from a trip to Portsmouth and surrounding country.

—Mrs. Kate Golding and daughter Anna were guests of the Misses Hanley of Market street Sunday.

—Mrs. Martha Hewitt of Riverside, Cal., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allison of the Washington neighborhood.

—Messrs. John Walsh, George Bendle, Chas. Purnell, Chas. Rudy and Robert Crane were among the excursionists here Sunday.

—Mrs. Dr. W. H. Taulbee and little daughter Evalyn, are visiting Mrs. Taulbee's mother, Mrs. Eva Knight, at Sharpsburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bain and sister, Miss Lulu Bain, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Plummer and family of Portsmouth.

—Mrs. J. V. Lytle has returned after several weeks' stay with her son, Mr. Omar Lytle, of Paris. She was accompanied home by her bright little granddaughter, Miss Eleanor Lytle.

—Mrs. Francis McDaniel, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Rigg and other relatives at Winchester, returned home, accompanied by Mrs. Rigg, who will visit here for a few weeks.

—Mr. Phillips Barbour, Private Secretary of Mr. Charles B. Ryan, General Passenger Agent of the Seaboard Air Line, with headquarters at Norfolk, Va., arrived Friday evening for a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Barbour.

Weather Forecast.

Fair to-night and Tuesday. To-morrow fair, colder in west portion.

Apple vinegar—Calhoun's.

Painless extraction of teeth at Dr. Cartmell's.

Fresh and specially attractive line of candies at Hainline's.

Mr. L. T. Anderson, Jr., sold six high grade mules Friday to a gentleman from the South.

The five-months-old child of Vanie Nichols died Saturday and was buried Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Dennis Ketty of Lewis County, who has been out West prospecting for several months, arrived here Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. True and son Scott who are suffering from diphtheria and have been very ill are better this morning.

Samuel Rosser, the milkman, had a breakdown Sunday morning at the corner of Third and Limestone streets.

Mr. Jno. Duley and wife have sold lot number 20 in the Maysville real estate subdivision to the Ohio River Lumber Company for \$175.

"A READER" might have saved the two cents postage and his stationery. Anonymous communications "don't go" any more with the BULLETIN.

Attorney G. W. Adair and wife were called to Dover a few days ago by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Mary Paul, who is ill at the home of her father, the venerable John Paul.

Mrs. Ann Osborne of Kansas City, who is ill at the home of her son R. G. Osborne on Tuckahoe, suffering from a stroke of paralysis, has so far improved as to enable her to go about her room, but she is still unable to speak.

The many friends in Maysville of Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge of Lexington will be glad to know that he is steadily improving. He has been quite sick for some time and there were some alarming rumors regarding his condition.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church will take orders for plain sewing, comforts, etc., in the parlors of the church Thursday afternoon. The annual Christmas sale of good things, —salads, croquets, cakes, plum puddings, etc., will be on Saturday, December 24th.

DIED AT PHILADELPHIA.

Mr. William Simpson, a Former Citizen, Passed Away Saturday Afternoon At Four O'clock.

It is with sincere sorrow that we are obliged to chronicle the death of a schoolmate and companion of our boyhood days—Mr. William Simpson aged forty-one, who passed away at his home in Philadelphia Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, after a long illness of pneumonia.

Will was one of those upright young men who began commercial life in his native city at the bottom of the ladder and by industry and honesty rose rapidly until his services were sought by Mabley & Carew of Cincinnati. He was at the head of the shoe department of this big house for some time when he was offered and accepted a fine position in an immense establishment at Philadelphia. He married a talented girl artist of that city several years ago and from this union came three children—two boys and a girl—who, with their mother, survive.

Miss Maggie Simpson, a sister of deceased, had been at his bedside two weeks, and at the time she sent word of his death the funeral arrangements had not been made, but it is presumed burial will be at Philadelphia.

FREIGHT WRECK.

Through Train On C. and O. Derailed at Vanceburg and Two Women Injured.

C. and O. through freight No. 99 was wrecked at Vanceburg Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Maud Kennard, Miss Nellie Kennard and Ira Sargent were walking on a sidewalk near the track when the wreck occurred.

The coal from one car was thrown on the women and both were injured and were with difficulty extracted from their position.

All trains were delayed several hours.

Oysters daily at Jno. O'Keefe's.

Another of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Muse's children has a case of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Marshall of Lewisburg celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary this evening, from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Carrie Stockton, a colored woman, died Saturday evening, of diphtheria, after an illness of a few days. She was buried Sunday.

Assistant Postmaster Frank L. Devine, who was stricken with apoplexy Saturday, was considerably improved this morning and it is now thought he will recover.

The sale of the Friend estate was well attended Saturday. All the personalty sold well. The farm of seventy-five acres was offered and bid up to \$26 per acre and withdrawn.

The venerable Mr. William Sproemberg of Commerce street was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning at 4 o'clock, and at this writing is in a critical condition, with not much hope of his recovery.

Mr. E. D. Pickett of Cedaredge, Col., in renewing his subscription to the BULLETIN writes: "We have spent a very pleasant summer and are very much benefitted in health. Fine crops and abundance of fruit. My son, C. B. Pickett's hay crop averaged six tons per acre."

By an oversight, the announcement of Squire William H. Rice, candidate for Sheriff before the Democratic primary, was omitted from one or two editions of the Weekly BULLETIN. For fear that some of his county friends may think Mr. Rice is no longer in the race we make the statement that he is still hustling for the nomination.

A tenement house on the farm of Thomas Brannon in the Lewisburg neighborhood and occupied by Sam Brannon caught fire Saturday night about 12 o'clock and burned to the ground. The family lost practically all their household goods and clothing, escaping with barely enough to cover them. The house was valued at \$500, but Mr. Brannon only carried \$200 insurance.

The contractors have refused to begin work on the foundation of the Government building, claiming the earth is too soft. In the northeast corner the excavators struck a bed of tanbark, and Friday morning after a sounding an old log and other soft substances were found. Mr. Howard notified Supervising Architect of the Treasury Windom, and work has been postponed until his arrival.

Heating Stoves.

Model Radiators, Model Oaks, Model Ranges, the best on the market. Sold by

W. F. POWER, the Stove Man.

D. Hechinger & Co

The advent of cooler weather gives us additional courage to talk about our Fall Clothing. We infer you will soon be entertaining the idea that you will need an Overcoat. We want to talk to you about our Mackinette and Cravenette Coats, which is an Overcoat thoroughly shower proof keeping you dry in the hardest rain and not resembling in the least the old style rubber coat. They are cut out of high-class woolen fabrics in exclusive patterns woven by the most reliable American and European Mills, cloths of the quality you find on the shelves of merchant tailors who please the most discriminating trade. Of these garments we have an immense variety ranging in price from \$12.50 to \$25.

A word to the economical clothing buyer. Doubtless a great many people are under the impression that because we sell the very highest grade of ready-to-wear Clothing we do not cater to the economical disposed. Our Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats ranging from \$7.50 to \$12 will surprise you when you examine them. When you are ready to fit out the little ones do not overlook us. We will save you money.

The Home Store!

Consult your own interest and see us before placing your order for cemetery work of any kind. Work done with pneumatic tools. GARNETT MARBLE CO., 111 Sutton St.

WE HAVE TAKEN THE AGENCY FOR

SLOAN'S LINIMENT FOR MAN AND BEAST,

Also Colic and Gall Cure for horses, and satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Call for sample of liniment and pamphlet.

J. JAS. WOOD & SON.

Special Sale of Gibson and Gilbert Writing Paper.

Dimity and Crepe DeChene Paper.

The papereries are put up in double tandem boxes. The Gilbert pictures on the tops are 7x11 reproductions of an assortment of six copyrighted heads. The bands bear the same heads in miniature. No other printing appears on the tops, thus enhancing their value. The color scheme is Rembrandt brown duotone, and is as near a platinum as the advanced art of printing can produce. The stock is manufactured from the best fabric papers, including French Chiffon, Ripple Linette, French Lawn and Crepe de Chene in all the fashionable tints and in the Royal size, wherein the paper is medium large and square, and the envelopes have the wallet flap, now so popular. Owing to shape, size and style these box tops can be framed or passe partouted, and thus treated will have permanent artistic value.

40c Per Box.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

GO TO THE New York Store FOR NEW GOODS.

Arrived yesterday, another express-load of new millinery; beautiful styles, and so cheap; all the new ideas in the up-to-date color, BROWN. Also Headwear for the little folks; beautiful Caps only 25c. The new Silk Caps, all the rage in the East; they sell at \$1.50, but we only ask 98c for them.

New Vellings 15c on Up.

New Wraps For Ladies and Children.

Our New York buyer has his eye open for any good thing. He sent us yesterday a splendid assortment; well, see them. The styles, qualities and prices will surprise you. Some merchants have the nerve to ask \$19.95 for the new Tourist Coat; we sell you one as good or better for \$10. Look at them. Misses' long Cloaks \$1.75 on up; see our \$5 and \$6 Coats, regular \$10 value.

HAYS & CO.

P. S.—See the beautiful new Pink and Blue Skirts; others mark theirs 98c, our price 69c; best Calico 5c; heavy Brown Cotton 4 1/2c; Canton Flannel 5c; Outing 5c; new Brown Dress Goods 49c (all wool).

PNEUMATIC MORRIS CHAIRS.

Compressed air readily adjusts them to your slightest whim or fancy. The designs are superb, and their luxuriant ease fascinating.

Washington Chairs,

Noted as "peace makers." Warranted to dissolve any family quarrel. A patent base so arranged as to rest every muscle. A most delightfully, restful chair.

These two new arrivals should interest you. It will be our constant aim to improve the standard of furniture. Nothing is too good for a Kentuckian. Please look through the White Palace.

JOHN I. WINTER,

MAYSVILLE, KY

DOWN SHE GOES

OWING TO THE SHARP DECLINE IN WIRE GOODS,
YOU CAN BUY—

American Field Fence Cheaper Than Ever Before!

26-Inch, Per Rod	20c
34-Inch, Per Rod	25c
47-Inch, Per Rod	30c

This is a reduction of \$5 per hundred rods from previous quotations. These prices are subject to change without notice. Better hurry.

The Frank Owens Hardware Company



Honest Rubber Goods!

There is a good deal of cheat in rubber. There must be a demand for poor goods from many sources, or there would not be so many on the market. Everything in the rubber line is bought carefully here. We aim to get the very best goods of the best makers. Special care is given to

SYRINGES.

Some with really honest rubber in them we can sell for very small prices. Whether price is small or large, you can feel sure that, quality considered, it is low.

THOS. J. CHENOWETH,
DRUGGIST,
Cor. Second and Sutton Streets, Maysville, Ky.

Al G. Fields has become the owner of the Forepaugh-Sells Circus. The price paid was not made public, but is said to be the biggest ever paid for a circus. The contract reads that the title goes with the sale, and the entire outfit is to be delivered in Columbus, Ohio, November 23rd.

Cabbage is rotting badly in some parts of the county.

Special piano sale at Gerbrich's this week.

Special Election Notice.

At the general election on Tuesday, November 8th, 1904, during the regular hours thereof, and by the regular officers thereof, an election will be held in the several precincts of Mason County outside of the city of Maysville, on the question of Mason County outside of the city of Maysville, creating an indebtedness of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for the purpose of erecting a new County Infirmary Building. Said election on said question will be held pursuant to an order of the Mason Fiscal Court, at its special session August 23rd, 1904, and which said order is as follows, viz:

Ordered, That the question of creating an indebtedness of \$25,000 for the purpose of erecting a new County Infirmary Building for Mason County be submitted to the qualified voters of Mason County outside of the city of Maysville at the next November, 1904, election to determine the sense of said voters on the said question in the following form to be printed on the ballots as required by law: "Are you in favor of Mason County outside of the city of Maysville creating an indebtedness of \$25,000 for the purpose of erecting a new County Infirmary Building?"

Second—In event of said question being carried as required by law, the bonds of the said county shall issue for the said sum to-wit: for twenty-five thousand dollars which sum shall be evidenced by 50 bonds of the par value of \$500 each, due and payable within twenty years and shall bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and which bonds shall be secured by a pledge of the said County Infirmary property and of the funds collected for the payment thereof.

Third—That the proceeds of the said bonds shall be used exclusively for the purpose set forth in this order.

Fourth—That this court shall provide for the collection of a Sinking Fund Tax sufficient to pay the interest and for the payment thereof, within the term for which the bonds shall be issued or sooner if desired by the Fiscal Court of Mason County, but not in any event within the term of ten years, provided that the said Sinking Fund Tax shall be levied only on property which is now taxable for County Infirmary purposes in Mason County.

Oct. 6, 1904 J. R. ROBERSON, S. M. C.

NOTICE.

The Maysville Warehouse is nearing completion, the same costing some \$50,000. The company has not had the city canvassed for the sale of its stock. There is some \$10,000 unsold. Subscriptions will be taken from \$100 up. The plant is rented to the Continental Tobacco Company for a term of years. The stock will pay a net 8 per cent. dividend per annum to the stockholders.

Call and subscribe for some of it. Per order of the Directory.

W. W. BALL, Secretary and Treasurer.

DR. LANDMAN,
Central Hotel,
Thursday, November 3, 1904.

HERE AT HOME.

Maysville Citizens Gladly Testify.

It is testimony like the following that has placed "the old Quaker remedy" so far above competitors. When people right here at home raise their voice in praise there is no room left for doubt. Read the public statement of a Maysville citizen.

Mr. Elias Scudder, nurseryman, residing at 215 Casto street, says: "I had a good deal of pain at times in my right kidney and it constantly grew more persistent. When I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills I could hardly sit down in a chair, or rise without placing my hands to my back, and should I thoughtlessly bend over, it pained me severely to straighten. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at J. Jas. Wood & Son's drugstore, corner of West Second and Market streets, and their use affected an absolute cure."

For sale by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name DOAN'S and take no substitute.

SALE OF TELEPHONE FRANCHISE.

Pursuant to an order of the Fiscal Court of Mason County made October 5th, 1904, I will on **Saturday, October 22, 1904,**

at 2 o'clock p. m., at the court house door in the city of Maysville, offer and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the right and privilege for a period of twenty years, to construct, maintain and operate telephone lines on and across and along all public roads and turnpikes, and across and under any navigable waters in Mason County. The fixtures of the telephone lines shall not interfere with public travel nor navigation, nor shall the poles be placed so as to interfere with ditches or injure the macadam. The erection of poles shall be under the supervision of the Turnpike Commissioners or such other persons as the Fiscal Court may designate. The Fiscal Court of Mason County expressly reserves the right to hereafter offer and sell as many other similar rights and privileges as it may wish to.

JAMES R. ROBERSON, Sheriff of Mason County, Kentucky. Maysville, Ky., October 6, 1904.

Have You Seen The Lovely Antique?

If not, please call at John I. Winter's store promptly, as we will soon ship it to the larger cities for exhibition.

REPRODUCTIONS.

Many swell factories are attempting reproductions of ancient furniture, and with experienced cabinet makers are fairly successful, but the arts and crafts of today are unable to reproduce this lovely specimen. Critics all pronounce it the loveliest specimen that has ever been unearthed! Cordially yours,

THE SMITH & NIXON PIANO CO
MAYSVILLE, KY.

City Taxes!

On all not paid on or before November 1st a penalty of 10 per cent. will be added.

J. W. FITZGERALD,
City Treasurer.

COAL

The wise man is getting in his supply for another winter because you can't tell what may happen at the mines this summer, or what the weather may be next winter. You should order your supply at once of the

Maysville Coal Co.
PHONE 142.

CANCER Is Curable.

We cure cancer without the knife. Very little pain. Have cured over twenty cases in Mason County during the last ten years. We send a free book upon request which tells all about method of treatment. Will refer you to Mr. Geo. S. Roser of this paper, Seldon W. Bramel, Wedonia, Ky., Mrs. Joel T. Luman, Mt. Carmel, Ky., Wm. Bramel, North Fork, Ky., and a dozen others in your own county if you wish them. Write for free book at once.

DRS. GRATIGNY & BUSH,
Oddfellows Temple, Cincinnati, O.

Take Vinol

It is in the truest sense of the word a blood-purifier, a tissue-builder, a wonderful vitalizer, flesh-creator and strength-producer. In cases of Consumption, Lung, Throat, Bronchial and other wasting affections, Vinol overcomes the disease by enriching the blood, enabling the stomach and other organs of the body to properly perform their functions. We are exclusive agents in Maysville for Vinol.

Jno. C. Pecor,
PHARMACIST.

Now is the Time to Look After Your Roofs!

We are handling two and three Ply Felt Roofing, Rubberoid and heavy Granite at the lowest possible price. The best Paints in the market.

W. H. RYDER, 121 Sutton St.

Fill Your Coal Bin

Now before the cold weather sets in, before the price of Coal goes up. Get the kind that burns evenly and does not fill your stove up with cinders and clinkers. A Coal of that sort costs you just twice as much in the end. Try a ton of ours, it is all coal should be. Farmers, we can load your wagon in three minutes with our patent Hoist and Coal Hopper. Office and yard, corner of Second and Short streets. Phone No. 70.

GABLE BROS.
R. C. POLLITT,
Dentist.

All Work Guaranteed. No 80% West Second street, Maysville, Ky.

"Men Who Are Now In Good Health, Will Be In Their Coffin When?"

Gentlemen, did you ever pause one minute to take a peep into the future, and ask yourself that question? You do not know what the future has in store for you. Relieve that anxiety by taking a policy in the "Travelers."

W. HOLTON KEY, Agent.

Dan Cohen Makes Another of His Big Purchases

This time it is 8,000 pairs of ladies' very fine Shoes made by one of Cincinnati's best firms. He sends us enough to crowd our house. Such values are seldom found, even by DAN COHEN.

Ladies' Very Fine Dongola Shoes in Button and Lace Go at	\$1.99
Ladies' Fine Pat. Colt in Button and Lace, Worth \$5, Go at	2.49
One Lot Ladies' Pat. Tip Pol., Worth \$2.50, Go at	1.49

A full line of all kinds of fall goods at prices made only by DAN COHEN.

DAN COHEN'S Great Western Shoe Store
W. H. MEANS, Manager.